PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

NAKAJIMA et al.

Art Unit: 3752

Application No.: 10/058,064

Examiner: James F. Hook

Confirmation No.: 3685

Filed: January 29, 2002

Attorney Dkt. No.: 100725-00070

For:

FIBER REINFORCED PLASTIC PIPE AND POWER TRANSMISSION

SHAFT EMPLOYING THE SAME

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Director of the U.S. PTO P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Date: December 13, 2004

Sir:

Applicants petition for an extension of time for one month for response to the outstanding Office Action dated August 11, 2004 from November 11, 2004 to December 11, 2004 (Saturday).

Please find attached a check in the amount of \$120.00 to cover the fee for the extension of time discussed above. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fee deficiency or credit any overpayment associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. 01-2300, making reference to Attorney Docket No. 100725-00070.

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